

PEDORO TORIUMI



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NICE TO
MEET YOU
OR
HELLO!

BUT FIRST... **THIS IS
PEDORO TORIUMI!!**



I was just dying to get some bonus pages in, so I crammed them in where I could. I know it's a little hard to read. For various reasons, the pages that would usually be the post-comic afterword will appear here instead.

I'm sorry. I know this greeting is coming like 51 pages too early, but please read with an open heart.



**UNTIL "BLACK PANTHER AND
SWEET SIXTEEN" WAS MADE!!**

Hmm...
What'm I
gonna do...?

Come to
think of
it...



And a little
something
extra too.

It has
to have
men and
a little
some-
thing
extra.



It's
gonna have
men.



Now what'm
I gonna draw,
I wonder...

BUH...



AFTER MY
PREVIOUS
WORK, "HYAKKI
KOIRAN",
ENDED...

It's over
in ten
minutes
or less.

MEALS END UP
BEING LITTLE MORE
THAN SHOVELING
NUTRIENTS INTO AN
EMPTY STOMACH.



Y
A
A
R
G
H!

Wants to
spend every
waking moment
working on the
comic, and it's
sleep and meal
time that
suffers for it.

TORIUMI
LOVES TO
EAT...

...BUT WHEN WORKING
ON COMICS, TORIUMI'S
MEALS GET, LIKE,
REALLY PERFUNCTORY.

I'D LIKE TO
ADMIRE MY
FOOD AS I
EAT...

I'D REALLY
LIKE TO EAT
AT A MORE
LEISURELY
PACE...

*THE STAFF IS ALLOWED TO EAT
LEISURELY BEFOREHAND.



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TRAP 1

A Sweet, Ramune-Flavored Night



UNTIL "BLACK PANTHER AND SWEET SIXTEEN" WAS MADE!!

CONTINUED

は GASP

Then I could at least admire the food in my mind!!

WHAT IF I DRAW A COMIC WITH A LOT OF FOOD IN IT?



FOOD + MEN

How about a pet?

WOW!

Nice idea!

MEETING

I DIDN'T EVEN TELL THE EDITOR.

Yeah. You know, I think that was the first time I ever said that our food...

EHEHEH

So you've been thinking about food while you work?

In volume 2, I'll add more pet stuff, so look forward to that!

IT'S FUN TO THINK OF STORIES FOCUSING ON THE FOOD APPEARING WHEN A PET GETS FED.

ABOUT THE TORIUMI HOUSEHOLD'S KOTARO



WE HAVE A MALE MINI DACHSHUND (AGE 5).

This little fellow is such a little angel and demon!



WHEN TORIUMI THINKS UP STORIES...

YOU CUTE LITTLE DEVIL...

AND MY WORK GETS NOWHERE!!

AND BEFORE I KNOW IT, I'M SLEEPING TOO...

BZZZZZ

THERE'S
ONE
THING...

BZZZZZ

ひん

BZZ

BZZ

は

What
nice
weather!

SIGHNNNN...

HUFF
PUFF





LET'S
SEE,
AT THE
NEXT
LIGHT,
I-



TO
AND
FRO

I WISH
I COULD
STAY
INDOORS.

I'm sick
and tired
of this
heat!

DAY AFTER
DAY...
I'VE BEEN
ROASTING
LATELY...

HUFF

ヒューヒュー

HUFF



EEK!

BUMP



It's hot,
isn't it?



Gosh...

FROM
NOW ON,
THIS...

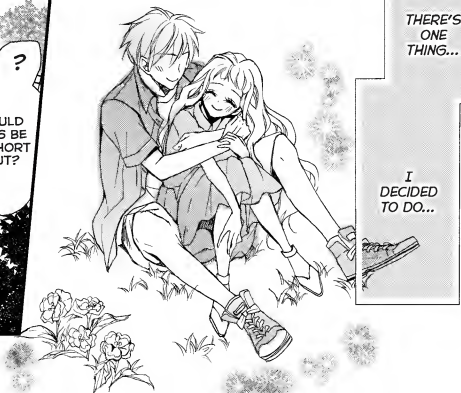
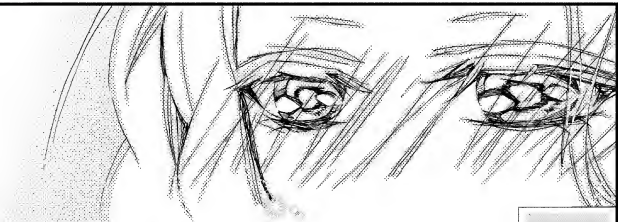
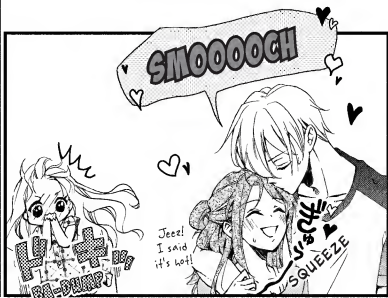
GOSH,
TOKYO'S
SO
CROWDED.

SUPER-
CROWDED



I JUST
MOVED
HERE TWO
DAYS AGO.

IS THE TOWN
WHERE I,
TAIGA
TAKACHIHO,
AM GOING
TO LIVE.





I'M GONNA
HAVE A DREAMY
ROMANCE WITH
A GORGEOUS
BOY!

...
HUH?!



H-HE'S
NOT
MOVING!

HUH?

HUH?

HUH?!



CAW

TWITCH



CAWWWW
CAWWWW

HE...

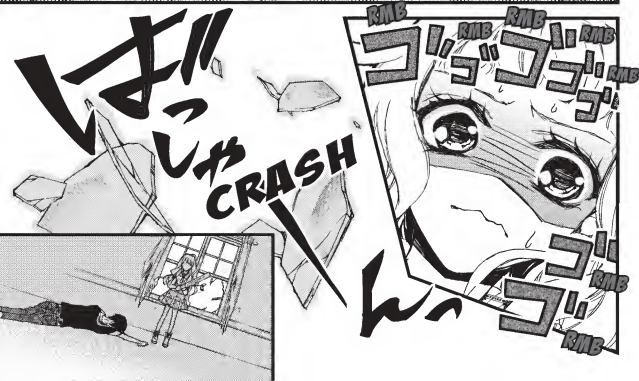
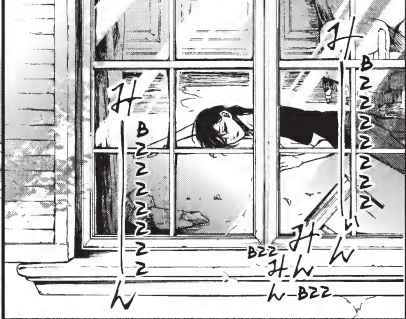
H-HE...
HE...

THIS
GUY...

TH-
THERE'S
NO WAY
ANYONE
LIVES
IN THIS
PLACE....!

HE'S
DEAD!!

HUUUH
?!



ARE YOU
REALLY
GONNA LET
YOURSELF
DIE IN THIS
PLACE?!

WHAT
ARE YOU,
STUPID
?!

SQUEEZE



ALL ALONE
LIKE THIS?!
THAT'S SO
SAD!!

STUPID
!!

IN THIS
ABANDONED
BUILDING?!

COULD YEW
LET ME
SLEEP ABOUT
FIVE MORE
MINUTES?

No...



PFFT!!

ME, A
CORPSE?!

BLOOUSH

THAT'S AWFUL
SWEET OF
YEW!!
AHA
HA
HA!

AHA
HA!

THEN
STARTED
LECTUR-
ING MY
CORPSE?!

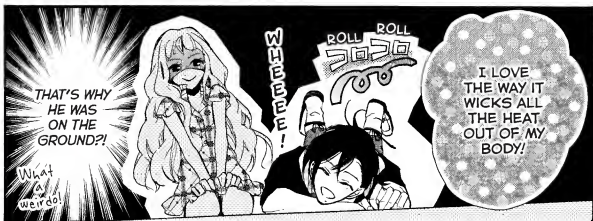
Y-YEW BROKE
THE WINDOW
BECAUSE YEW
THOUGHT I
WAS DEAD?

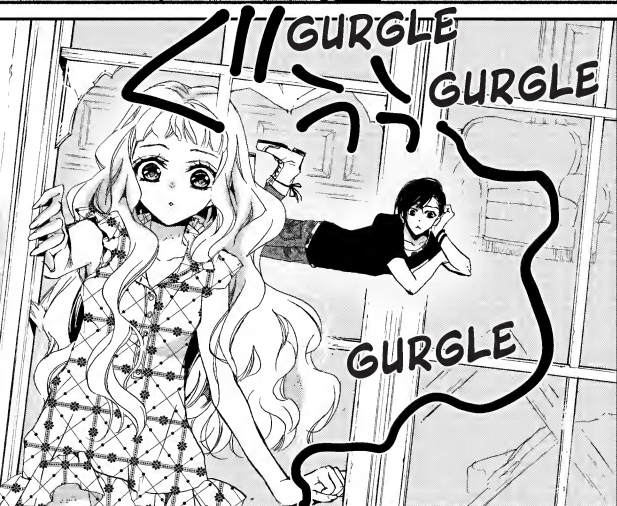


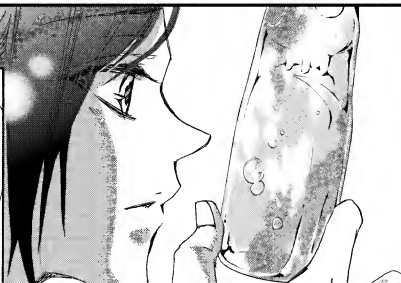
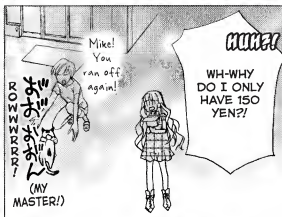
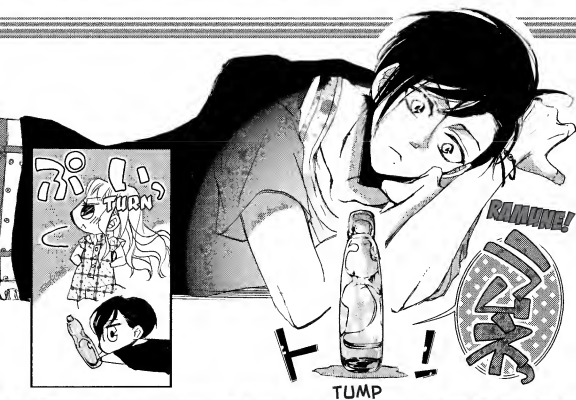
ANYBODY'D
BE SUR-
PRISED IF
THEY SAW
SOMEONE
COLLAPSED
ON THE
GROUND!

SHUT UP,
MR. KYOTO
ACCENT!

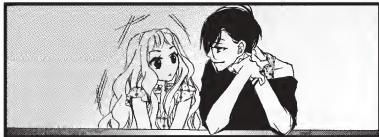
What's
with this
guy?!

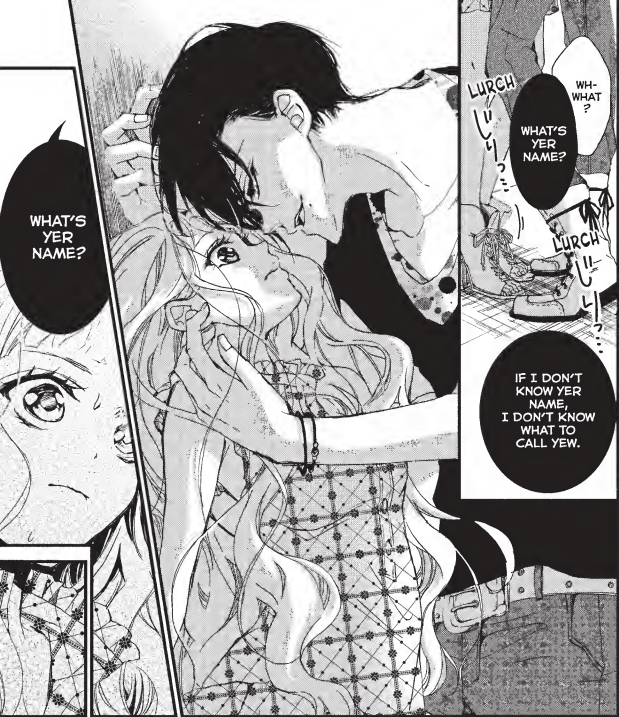












WHAT'S
YER
NAME?

LURCH

WH-
WHAT?
WHAT'S
YER
NAME?

IF I DON'T
KNOW YER
NAME,
I DON'T KNOW
WHAT TO
CALL YEW.



WH-

COME
HERE,
TAIGA-
CHAN!

?!
YANK

GRIN
にこ

にこ

T-
TAIGA
TAKA-
CHIHO...

WHAT'S
THIS...
...VIBE
I'M
GETTING?





BOOM

And
then...

**SOME-
BODY!!**

**CHATTER
CHATTER**

**HELP
MEEE!!**

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わ
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Aha
ha!

**SUPER-
CROWDED**

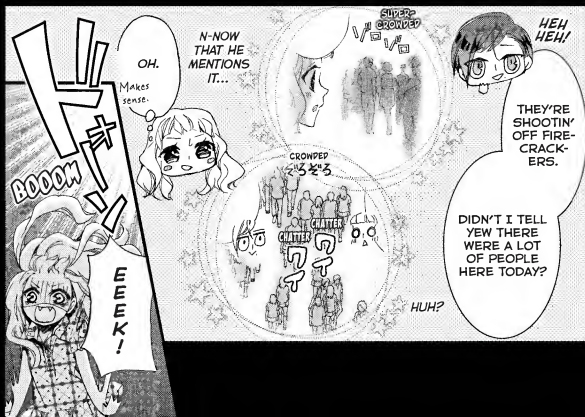
**IT CAN'T
BE...
I'M...**

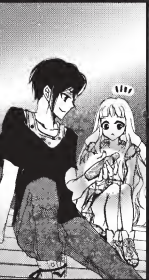
**O-OH
NO!**



**I-I WANTED
TO GO ON A
DATE IN OUR
UNIFORMS!!**

**I'M GONNA
DIE BEFORE
I EVEN HAVE
A BOYFRIEND!**



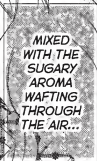


あははは
AHA
HA
HA!

ははは
HA
HA
HA!



...I CAN
SMELL THE
SUMMER
NIGHT.



MIXED
WITH THE
SUGARY
AROMA
WAVING
THROUGH
THE AIR...





WOW!
HOW
PRETTY!



Nn~

Wow!
That one's
shaped like
a heart!!

I'VE NEVER
EXPERIENCED
A SUMMER
LIKE THIS.



I-I didn't
mean to say
that!

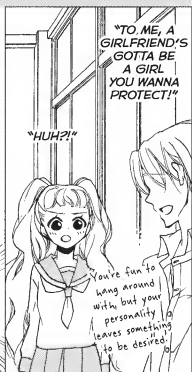
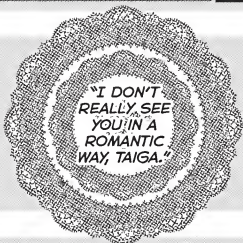
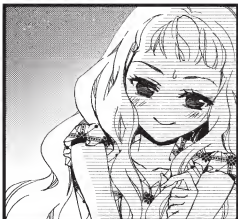
IF YEW
COULD
SMILE LIKE
THAT ALL
THE TIME,
YEW'D BE
ABLE TO GO
ON ONE IN
NO TIME.

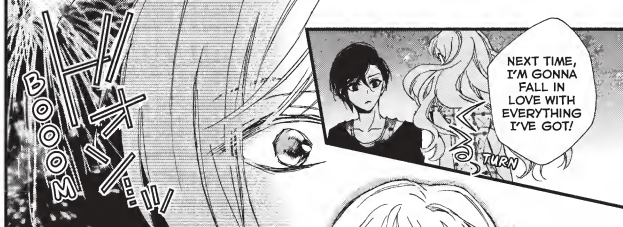
ONE
OF YER
"UNIFORM
DATES."

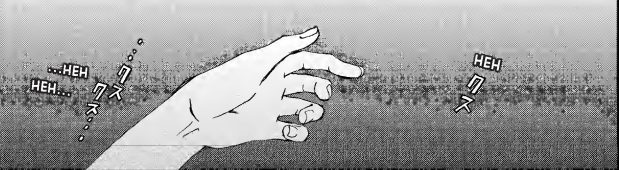


HEW!
THAT'S
A GOOD
LOOK FOR
YEW.



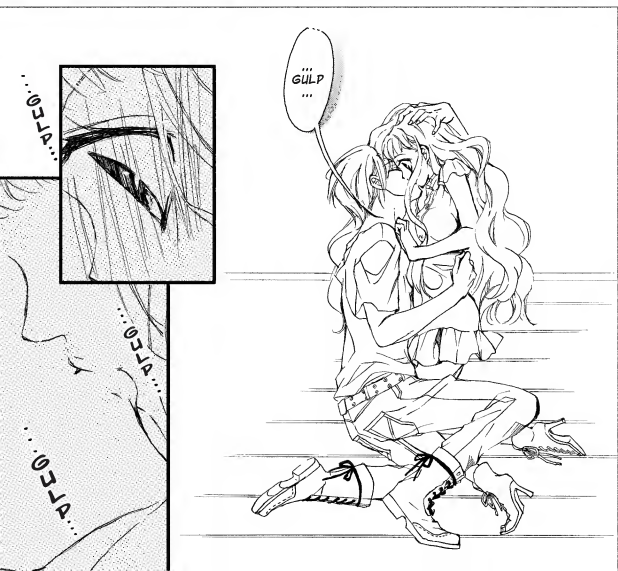






WOULD
REALLY
GET ME
GOIN'!







"I LOVE
THE WAY
IT WICKS
ALL THE
HEAT..."

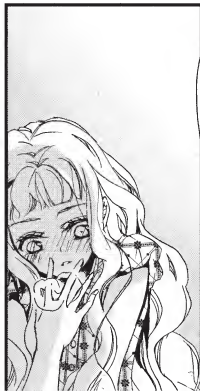
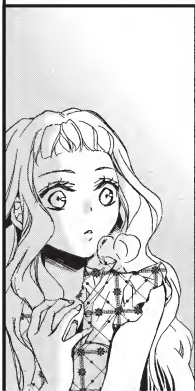
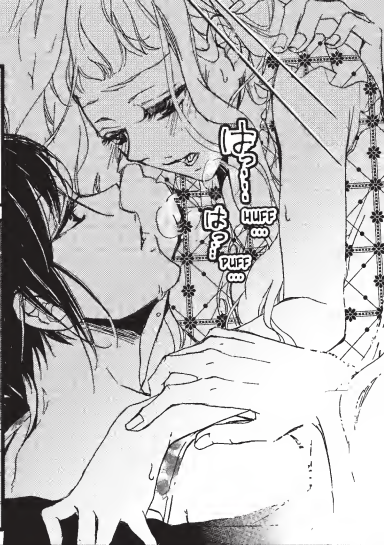
...OUT
OF MY
BODY!!"



BOOM

BOOM

051A



THANKS
FOR THE
MEAL.





KISSING
A GUY I
DON'T
EVEN LIKE!!

I-I CAN'T
STOP
QUIVERING
WITH RAGE...!

QUIVER QUIVER
わなわなわな

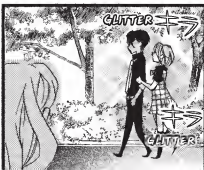
THAT'S
WORSE
THAN
KISSING
A SHOE!

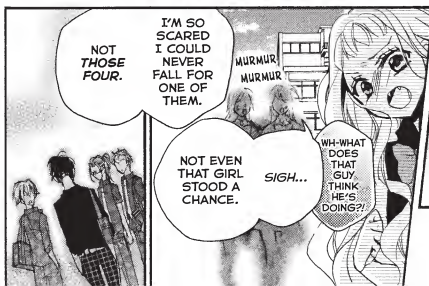
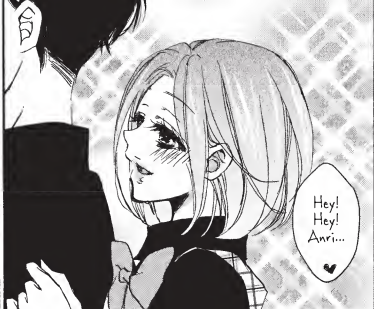
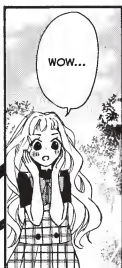


DID I
HEAR THE
WORD...

SAY...
WHY DIDN'T
YOU COME
SEE THE
FIRE-
WORKS?

FIRE-
WORKS
?! WHAP

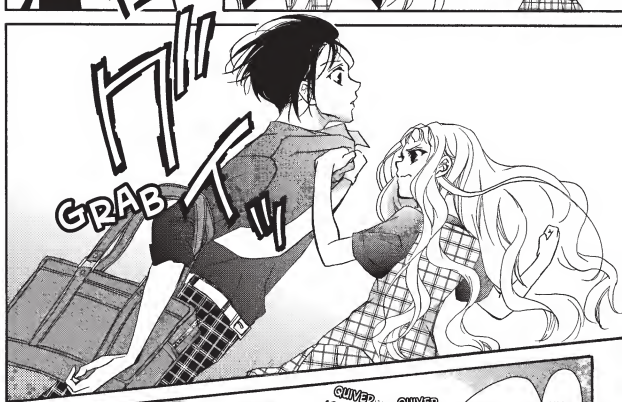
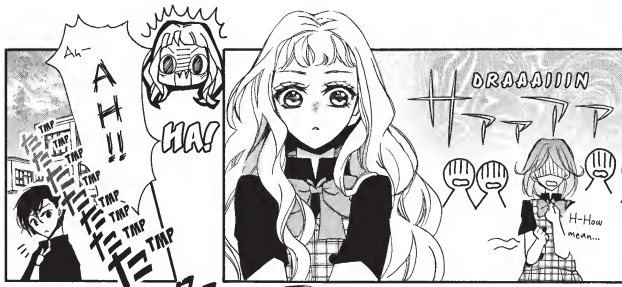




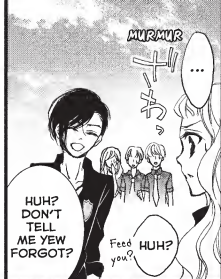




ANRI
ISEYA.







HUH?
DON'T
TELL
ME YEW
FORGOT?

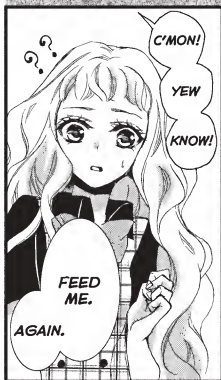
Feed
you?

HUH?

MURMUR

...

HEY,
TAIGA-
CHAN...



FEED
ME.
AGAIN.

C'MON!

YEW

KNOW!

FEED ME
AGAIN?



HE CAN'T
MEAN...

HE
CAN'T
...

NO...

DIDN'T I
TELL YEW
THANKS
FOR THE
FOOD?

BA-
DUMP



THERE'S ONE THING...

I DECIDED TO DO
ONCE I GOT INTO
HIGH SCHOOL.

YEW'LL
ADOPT ME,
WON'T YEW?
TAIGA-
CHAN?



I'M NOT
GONNA
LET THIS
BEAST
HAVE...

OBVIOUSLY,
I REFUSE!

MY ONE
AND
ONLY...

ONCE-IN-A-
LIFETIME...

SIXTEENTH
YEAR.



TRAP

2

Goopy, Melted Chocolate

I'LL BE
YER PET.



HUUUUUUUUH?!



1. GREETINGS

TO ALL YOU FIRST-TIMERS AND RETURN READERS...

HELLO, THIS IS
PEDORO TORIUMI!!

THANK YOU, THANK YOU FOR PURCHASING "BLACK PANTHER AND SWEET SIXTEEN" VOL.!!! WE'RE ONLY THROUGH THE FIRST CHAPTER AND ALREADY THERE ARE FOUR MEN AND KISSING AND STUFF! WE'RE GOING FULL SPEED WITH THIS STORY. I WOULD BE VERY HAPPY IF YOU ENJOYED READING.

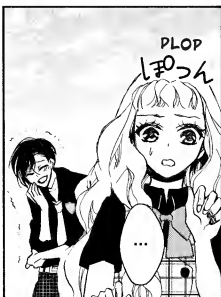


NOW,
LET'S BEGIN.



Y-YOU'VE
GOTTA BE
KIDDING.

THIS
CAN'T BE
HAPPENING
...



DREAMS 理想

Me too!
Me too!

I'll show you
around after
school.

My
name is
Taiga
Taka-
chiho.

It's nice
to meet
you all.

I SWORE
THAT...



Wow,
nice to
meet
you.

Nice
to meet
ya.

REALITY 現実

My name
is...
Taiga...
Taka-
chiho...

I-I-it's
nice...
to meet
you...

SEP.
1ST

WHEN I
GOT TO
HIGH
SCHOOL...

I'D
REINVENT
MYSELF
AND FALL IN
LOVE WITH A
GORGEOUS
BOY!!



WHISPER
ささやかしささ

FLINCH
びくびく





SO DO IT
AGAIN.

"FEED"
ME.



SLAM

FLINCH

SKREEE

IF ONLY
HE HADN'T
DONE
THAT!!

IF
ONLY!!



WHAT
WAS THAT
ABOUT THIS
MORNING,
ANYWAY?

WITH
THAT
FRESH-
MAN
GIRL.

TSK!

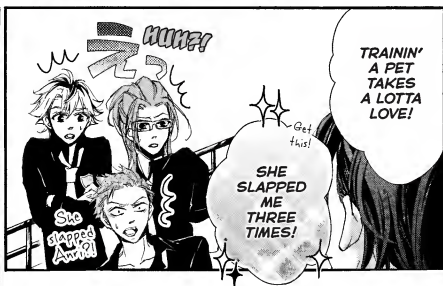
Jerk.

LEAN

AAANRI
ISEYAAA!!

ANRI.

GET
OFF
ME,





WHO'D
WANT HIM
FOR A
PET?!

I'LL HAVE
NOTHING
TO DO
WITH HIM!!

OHNNNNNN?

SO SHE
SLAPPED ANRI,
EH?





1. ABOUT TAIGA THE HEROINE



TAIGA IS MY LONG-AWAITED
STRONG-WILLED GIRL.

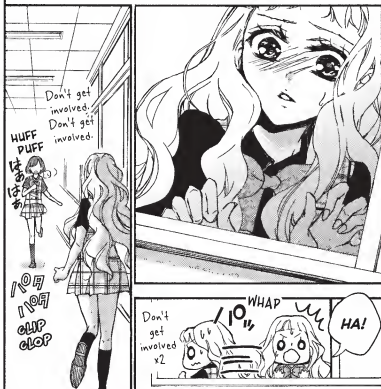
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HARURU FROM "AMAI AKUMA GA
WARAU" AND KOKO FROM "HYAKKI
KOIRAN" WERE ALL SPACEY-WACEY
AND CHEERY-WEERY GIRLS.

BUT DRAWING THIS, YOU KNOW...

KA-POW!!-Y TAIGA IS
SO FRESH AND FUN.

Now, I wonder
what Taiga's gonna
do next...



THE ONES WHO
REPORTED HIM
ARE THOSE
GUYS HE'S
ALWAYS WITH!



KUROGANE-
SEMPAI,
SENA-SEMPAI,
AND MIKIHITO-
SEMPAI!!

THOSE FOUR
REALLY
ARE LIKE A
GROUP OF
DICTATORS
AROUND
HERE, HUH?

They're
not like
really
good
friends...

For
real
?!

THOSE
THREE?!

WHAT DO
THEY MEAN,
"REPORTED"?

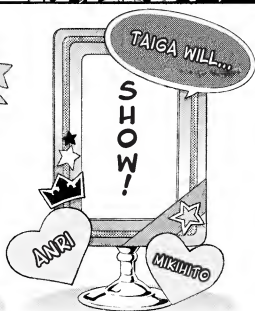
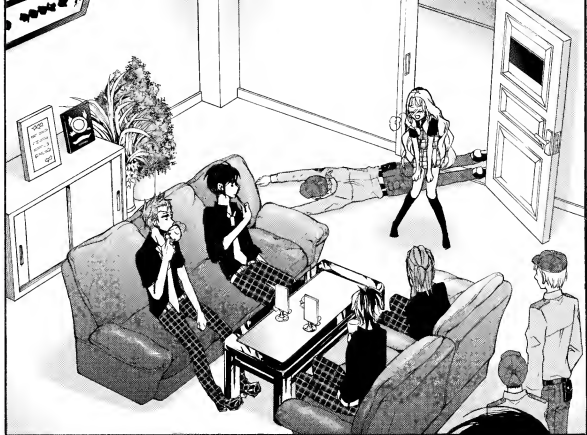
WHAT I
HEARD
WAS...

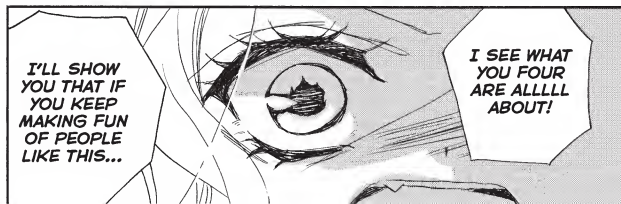
YIKES!
うゑ

I HEAR IF
THEY SAY
"JUMP"
THERE ARE
TONS OF
POLITICIANS
OUT THERE
WHO WILL
ASK "HOW
HIGH?"

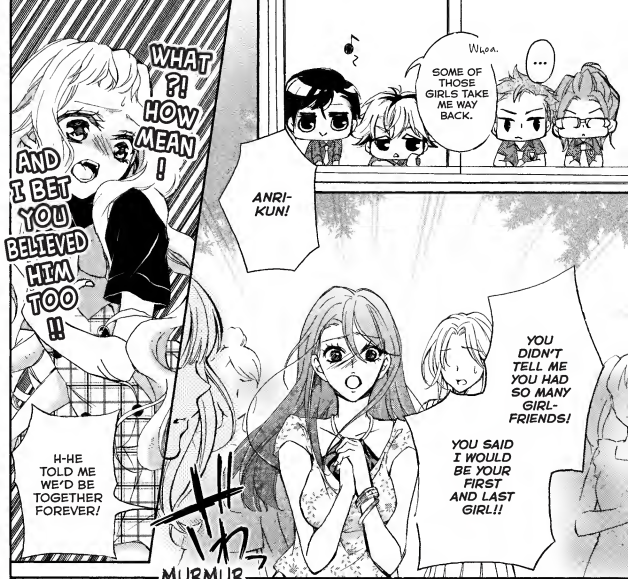
Yeah!
Yeah!

I HEAR THEY'VE
GOT KING-LIKE
POWER OUT-
SIDE SCHOOL
TOO!











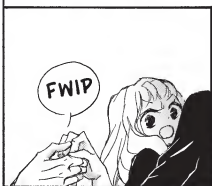
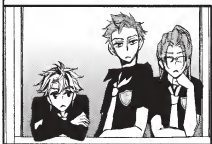


IT CAN'T
BE...

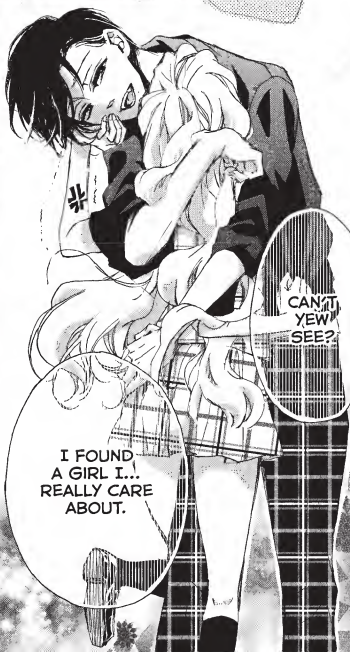
A-
ANRI-
KUN...

くや
CHATTER

CHATTER CHATTER
くや くや

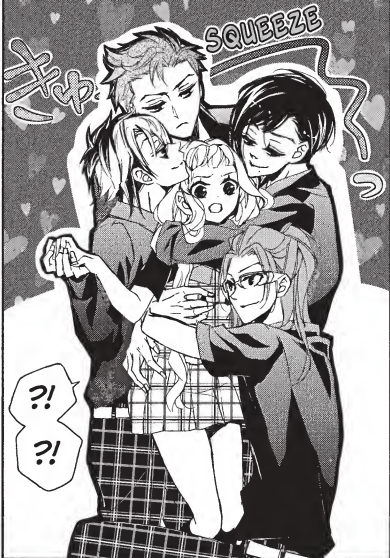
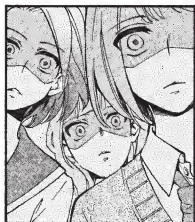


FWIP



I FOUND
A GIRL I...
REALLY CARE
ABOUT.

CAN'T
YEW
SEE?



THEN YOU'RE...
THE ONE THEY
WERE REALLY
AFTER?!



WHERE DID
THE HIGH
SCHOOL
LIFE OF MY
DREAMS
GO?!

THESE
GIRLS ARE
CHASING ME
AROUND!

THE ONES
IN CLASS
AVOID ME
LIKE THE
PLAGUE!

JEEZ!
WHAT'S
THEIR
PROBLEM
ANYWAY?!



I HEARD
SOMEONE
OVER
HERE!

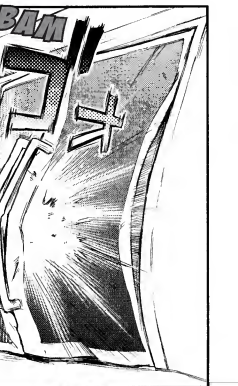
HA!

SHOULDN'T I BE
TRYING TO ENJOY
SOME OF THIS
CRAZINESS?

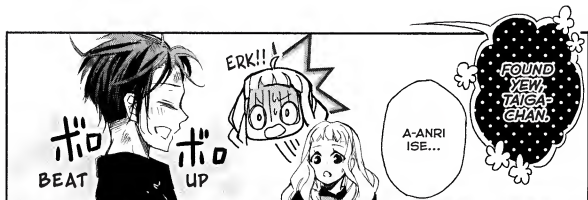
...BEEN
ABLE TO
EXPERIENCE
ANYTHING.

I STILL
HAVEN'T...



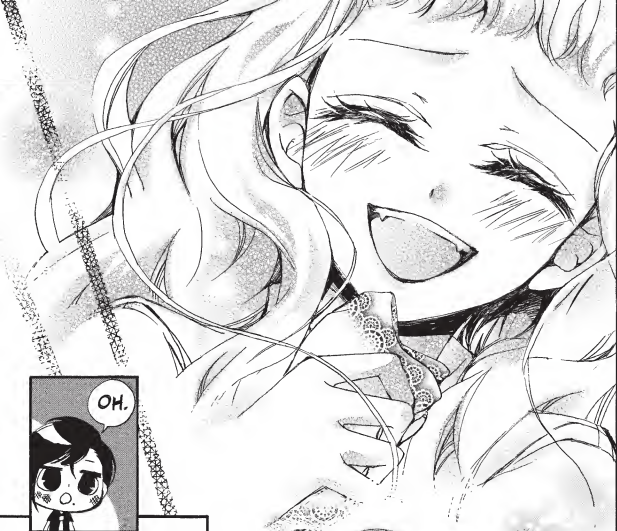














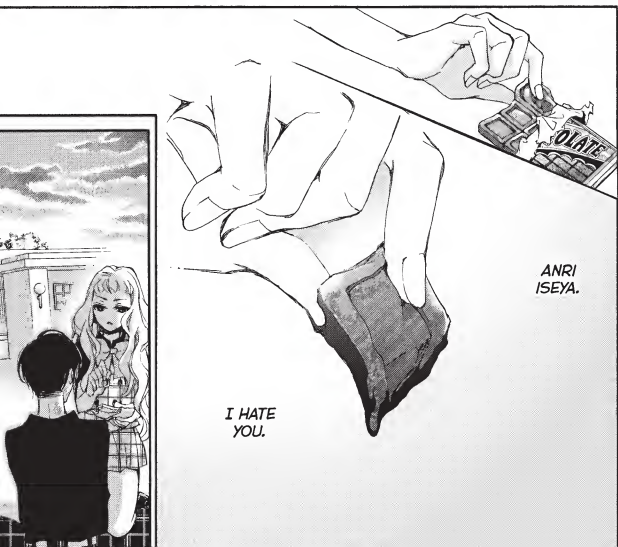
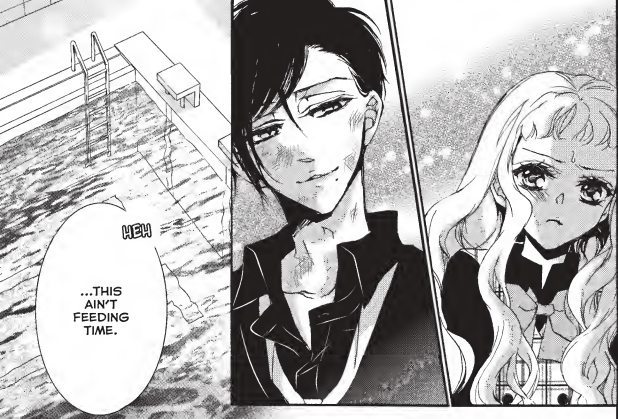
MY HAND
HURTS SO
BAD I CAN'T
OPEN THE
WRAPPER.

DID YOU
HAVE THIS
IN YOUR
POCKET THE
WHOLE TIME?

CHOCO-
LATE?

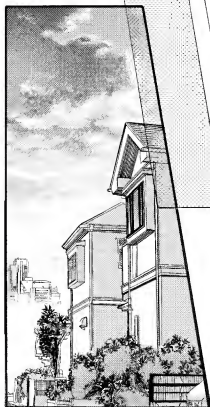
What's
this?











WHEN IT
COMES TO
CHOCOLATE
OR ANYTHING
ELSE...

...JUST BEIN'
SWEET AND
LUKEWARM
AIN'T ENOUGH.

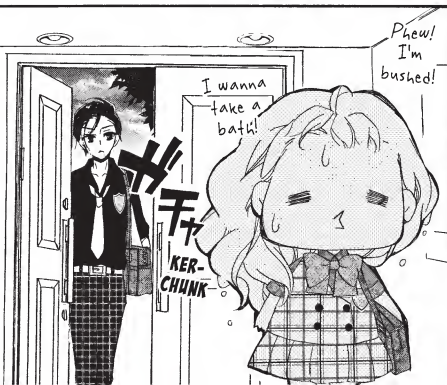
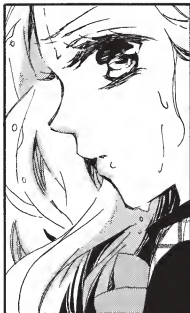


OH!

STARE STARE STARE
じろじろじろ

OH!
REALLY!

LIKE WATER
OFF A
DUCK'S
BACK, OR
WHATEVER IT
IS THEY SAY,
RIGHT?





TRAP

3

The Ice Trap



WHAT...



...ARE YOU
SUPPOSED
TO DO...

...WHEN
THERE'S
A WILD
ANIMAL
AFTER
YOU?

HEY
?!?!

H...
H-H-

H-





HE'S NOT
MY BOY-
FRIEND...

HE'S NOT
EVEN MY
FRIEND.

AW,
WHY
NOT?

RMB RMB RMB RMB RMB

TEAR IT
DOWN
THIS
INSTANT!

DON'T EVEN
COME INTO
MY ROOM
WITHOUT
PERMISSION!

In fact...

JUST
TODAY, HE
DRAGGED
ME INTO
A POOL!

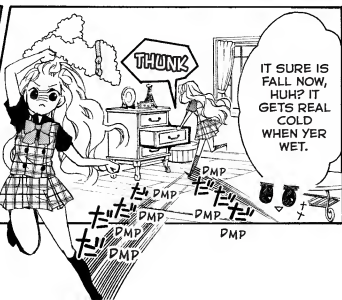
BUT NOW
HE WON'T
LEAVE ME
ALONE.

HE'S JUST
SOME GUY I
BUMPED INTO
RIGHT AFTER
MOVING TO
THIS TOWN.

FWUMPH

DIDN'T I
TELL YEW I'M
GONNA BE
YER PET?





MESSAGE
SENT

育 SEND

DOOT-DEE-DOO!

送信!! TO ALL!!

I'LL JUST
HAVE TO
MAKE
SOMEONE
COME GET
HIM!!

OH.

ホ



FLOP

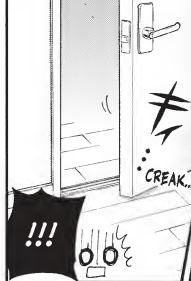
WHAT
IS IT,
TAIGA-
CHAN?

N-
NOTHING
!

FWIP

IT DOESN'T
LOOK LIKE
I'LL BE
ABLE...

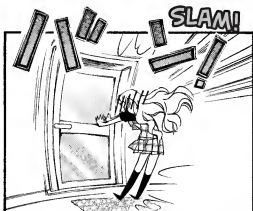
TO CHASE
ANRI ISEYA
OUT OF MY
HOUSE BY
SO... FORCE.

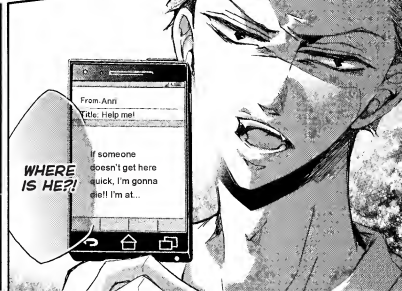


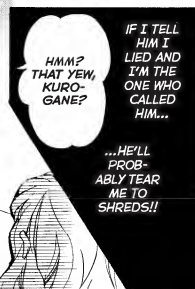


P-
PLEASE...
SOMEONE
GET HERE
FAST...

SOMEONE
WHO'LL
LISTEN TO
REASON!!









HUH? WHY
DO YEW
HAVE MY
PHONE
ANYWAY,
TAIGA-
CHAN?



3. ABOUT GUNKANJIMA

AFTER MY PREVIOUS WORK, "HYAKKI KOIRAN" FINISHED, I TOOK A SHORT BREAK.

WHILE IT WAS RUNNING, I DIDN'T EXACTLY LIVE WHAT YOU WOULD CALL A "HUMAN" LIFE-STYLE. SO DURING THAT TIME, I CLEANED UP ALL THE BUSINESS THAT HAD PILED UP (AND I MEAN REALLY PILED UP).

SO...DURING THIS VACATION, I WENT TO...

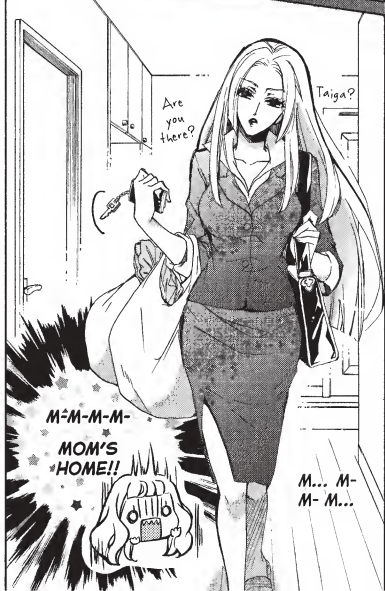
✦✦ GUNKANJIMA ✦✦!!

It's the island in Nagasaki Prefecture also known as "Hashima."



I'VE ALWAYS WANTED TO GO, BUT AN ACTUAL TRIP WOULD BE AN OVERNIGHT AFFAIR. SO WHEN I GOT A VACATION, I JUST DECIDED "NOW'S THE TIME!!" AND WENT FOR IT.

TO BE
CONTINUED



I'M HOME, TAIGA!

[illegible]

TAIGA?

THINGS
JUST KEEP
GETTING
WORSE!

W-
WELCOME
HOME...
MOM.



KUROGANE,
YER SCARIN'
TAIGA-CHAN.



I WASN'T
COUNTING
ON MOM
COMING
HOME
TOO...

SIGH...



TURN
70



SAY
HERE!

TAIGA-
CHAN!
TAIGA-
CHAN!

"AH!"



THEY THINK
IT'S SOME-
ONE ELSE'S
PROBLEM!!
NAMESLY,
MINE!!

TH-

Then,
I'll have
some.

Kurugane,
there's coffee
flavor too.

WH-

WH-

SQUIRMIN'
AIN'T
GONNA
HELP YEW
AT THIS
POINT.

Better
just
enjoy
it!

DON'T
TALK
ABOUT
WHEN
WE WERE
KIDS!!

WE USED
TO EAT ICE
CREAM IN
THE TUB
ALL THE
TIME BACK
IN THE DAY,
DIDN'T WE?

YUM!

CHOMP
Mm...

キラキラ
GLITTER GLITTER

CHOMP
CHOMP

Ahaha!
How
cute!

ANRI. ...

...

BUT I
AIN'T GOT
NO HOME
TO GO
HOME TO
ANYMORE.

YEAH
...

AND MY
FAVORITE
HOUSE WAS
DESTROYED
BY A CERTAIN
SOMEONE.

Aha
hai!

YOU'VE
GOTTA STOP
WANDERING
AROUND
LIKE THIS.

HUH?



Yep.

I'M USED
TO IT BY
NOW.

Y-YOU
WERE
TELLING
THE TRUTH?

SNOOCH

"BUT I
GOT NO
HOME TO
GO TO."

WAIT...

HE LIVED
THERE?!

CONK

!! / !





Why'd yew
hit me,
Kurogane?

Shut
up!

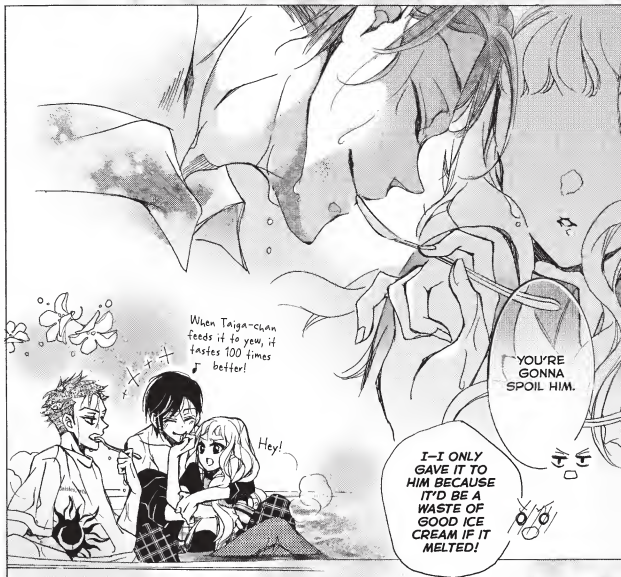
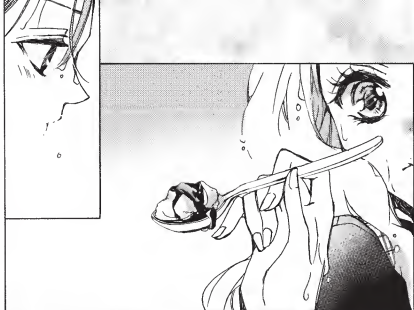
HE MAY
ACT ABOVE
IT ALL...

HUH...

HAS NO
PLACE TO
GO?

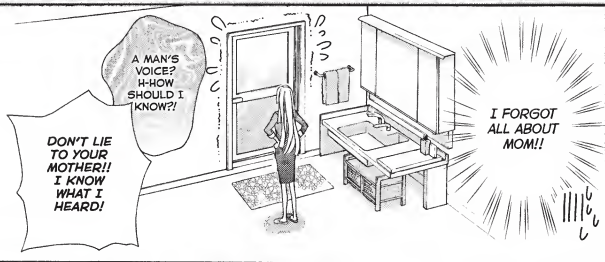
AND LIKE
HE'S GOT
IT ALL
FIGURED
OUT...

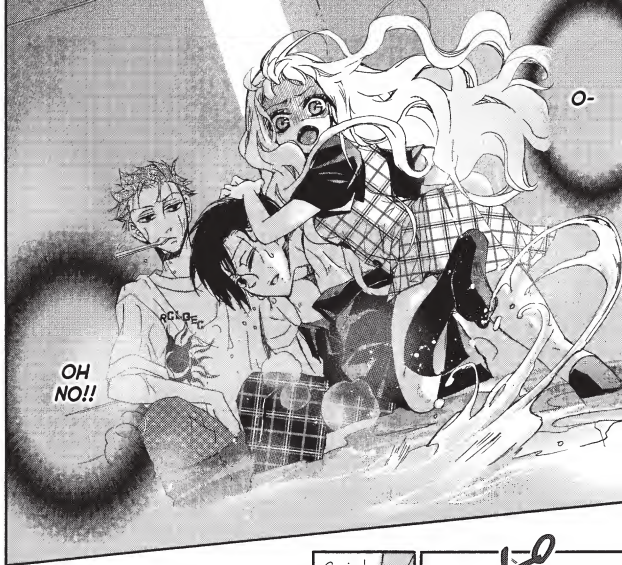
BUT
ANRI...





I-





OH
NO!!



MURMUR
MURMUR



WHO
ARE YOU
PEOPLE?

CHATTER
あら

I JUST
TOLD YOU!
ANRI-KUN
ASKED US
TO COME!

あら
CHATTER
CHATTER



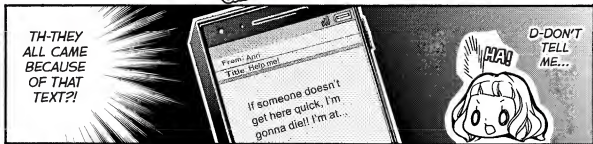
Coming!

CLIP
CLOP

PHEW!



DING-
DONG!





MUTTER

THAT'S
ABOUT
LONG
ENOUGH.

ARCH!
ARCH!



HUH?!

HUH?!

DON'T
THINK ILL
OF ME,
ANRI.

KURO-
GANE?





WHOOSH!

POW

POW

EEE-EKK!

THAT'S ANRI-KUN!

ANRI-KUN!

Anri-kun!
Anri-kun!

FWIP

?!
?!



NOPE.
しね

MURMUR
MURMUR

カジャ
カジャ

Something
is just wrong
today.

NO ONE
NOTICED
ME.
NOT EVEN
MOM!

Anri-
kunnn?



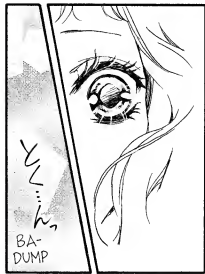
COME TO
THINK OF
IT...

HE DID
GET HERE
FASTER
THAN
ANYONE...



DON'T
TELL
ME...

...HE'S BEEN
WAITING FOR
THIS 'MOMENT
THE WHOLE
TIME?

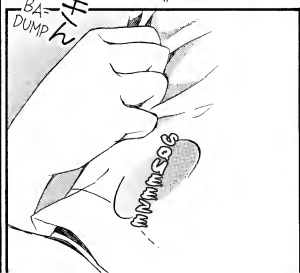
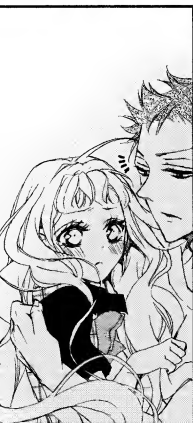


BA-
DUMP



GRAB
7

HE LOOKS
'SCARY,
BUT 'MAYBE
KUROGANE IS
'REALLY-





HA
HA
HA!

HA
HA
HA!

EVERYBODY
WAS SO
SURPRISED
WHEN I FELL
DOWN FROM
THE SKY!

MY HEART
POUNDING
SO HARD?



BA-
DUMP

BA-
DUMP



BA-
DUMP

BA-
DUMP

BA-
DUMP

BA-
DUMP

WHY IS—

WHAT'S
HAPPENED
TO MY
BODY?



I WANNA
BE WITH
YEW!

HELP ME,
TAIGA-
CHAN!

GRAB

LET'S
GO.



DON'T
YEW TAKE
ME AWAY,
KURO-
GANE!

What's
all that
ruckus?

What's
going on?

I DON'T
WANNA
BE AWAY
FROM
YEW!



ANRI!

KURO-
GANE'S
TRYIN' TO
KIDNAP
ME!!

HE'S A
KIDNAP-
PER!

HEY!
CUT IT
OUT,
ANRI!

ANRI,
YOU
LITTLE...

Is that
scary boy
bullying
that
pretty
one?

MURMUR
MURMUR

ARE YEW
SURE YER
NOT JUST
SCARED,
TAIGA-
CHAN?!

KUROGANE'S
TRYING TO
HELP YOU.

DON'T
ACT
SELFISH!

YEW GOT
MY HOPES
UP/AND
NOW YER
GONNA
LEAVE ME
BEGGIN'...

...AND
THAT'S WHY
YEW WANT ME
TO GO WITH
KUROGANE!!
AIN'T IT?!

I BET
YER JUST
SCARED
YER GONNA
FALL FOR
ME...

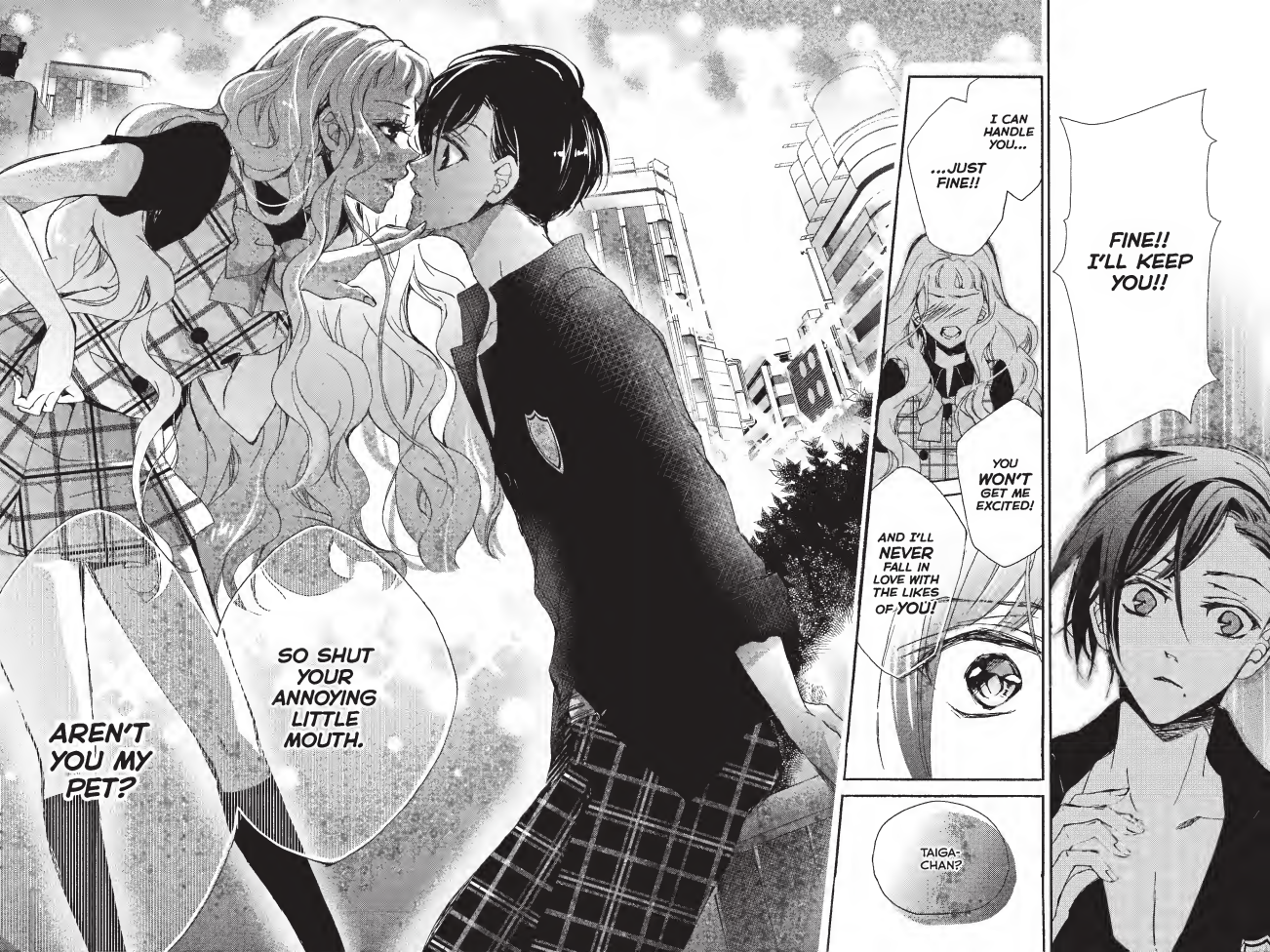
AFTER YEW
FED ME...
I THOUGHT
YEW FINALLY
ACCEPTED
ME AS YER
PET...

AIN'T YEW
THE ONE
WHO'S
ACTING
SELFISH?

WHO
WANTS
HIM
FOR A
PET?!

AND A
GIRL
...

A
KID-
NAP-
PER
...



AREN'T
YOU MY
PET?

SO SHUT
YOUR
ANNOYING
LITTLE
MOUTH.

I CAN
HANDLE
YOU...
...JUST
FINE!!

YOU
WON'T
GET ME
EXCITED!

AND I'LL
NEVER
FALL IN
LOVE WITH
THE LIKES
OF YOU!

TAIGA-
CHAN?

FINE!!
I'LL KEEP
YOU!!

...NEVER LET
IT TRICK YOU
INTO TAKING IT
IN AS A PET.

WHEN
THERE'S
A WILD
ANIMAL
AFTER
YOU...

JUST-DANDY
HOW?

SURE
AM!



YOU'LL JUST
CAUSE NEWER,
UNEXPECTED
TROUBLES.

What a
weirdo.

ESPECIALLY
IF YOU'RE
ALREADY
HOPING
FOR SOME
ROMANCE.



HE'S
ALREADY
MADE
HIMSELF AT
HOME!



Sorry, Anri.
I was
shopping,
so I just now
got your
message.

I was
asleep.



TRAP 4

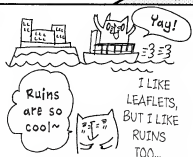
The Lunchtime Premonition





4. GUNKANJIMA CONTINUED

THE DAY OF MY VISIT, THE WEATHER WAS FABULOUS!! AND I TOOK TONS OF PHOTOS!! I ACTUALLY USED SOME OF THOSE AS REFERENCES FOR THE RUINED HOUSE IN CHAPTER ONE OF THIS STORY, *BLACK PANTHER* AND *SWEET SIXTEEN*.



* THIS IS A BIT OF A DIGRESSION, BUT DURING MY TRIP TO GUNKANJIMA, OUR PET DOG KOTARO GOT A HERNIA (SEE "HYAKKI KOIRAN" VOLUME 7 FOR DETAILS!), SO I HAD TO RUSH HOME TO TOKYO.





WHAP!
はっ!!

WHAT'S
GOT INTO
YEW?

D-
DISCIPLINE!
THIS IS
DISCIPLINE
TRAINING!
IF YOU'RE MY
PET, THEN
PROMISE
ME THIS!

...TO CRAWL
INTO MY BED
AND TOUCH
ME WITHOUT
PERMISSION.

FROM NOW
ON, YOU
AREN'T
ALLOWED...

WHAT
ABOUT
FEEDING
BY
MOUTH?

THAT'S
OBVIOUSLY
EVEN
WORSE!

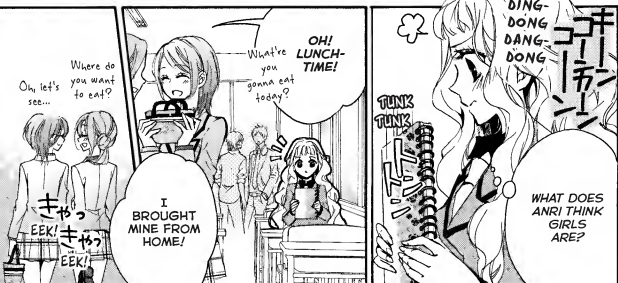
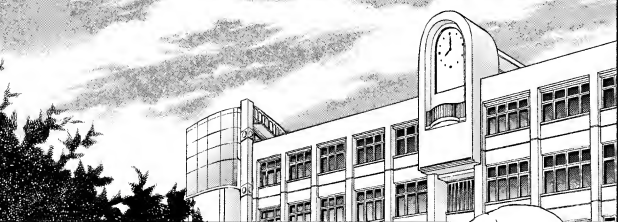
No!
I will
not
"come
on!"

Aw,
come
on!

"A PET
MUSTN'T
TOUCH HIS
MASTER!"

**DON'T
WRECK
MY LIFE
ANY
MORE!**

**AND DON'T
TRY TO
PRETEND
YOU DIDN'T
HEAR ME!!**





5. SPECIAL THANKS

*MY PARENTS *UNCLE OSAMU
*MY EDITORS SUDA-SAMA AND
MATSUBARA-SAMA
KAZUHA-SAN, IMAJON
SHIMODA-SAN, TORA-SAN,
MURAKAMI GEVANNI...

EVERYONE INVOLVED IN "BLACK
PANTHER AND SWEET SIXTEEN"...

AND LAST BUT DEFINITELY NOT
LEAST EVERYONE READING THIS
COMIC! THAT MEANS...

♥♥ YOU ♥♥

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TO PEDORO TORIUMI

I'd be very happy
to receive a letter
from you!

Wahay SP

I HOPE
IT'S SUNNY
AGAIN
TOMORROW.



(PEDORO TORIUMI)

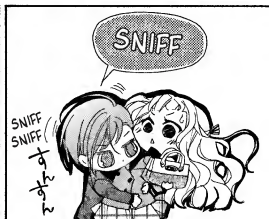




AND MOM IS SO BUSY...









I'M
HUNGRY
OVER
HERE.

STOP
ALL YOUR
BELLY-
ACHIN'.

HUH?

U-
UM...



Well...
WHY DON'T
YEW JOIN
US TOO,
TAIGA-
CHAN?

YANK

GO

GO

GO

GO

GO

GO

GO

GO

GO

GO

GO

GO

GO

GO

GO

GO

GO

GO

WHAT
AM I
GONNA
DO?



HEY.

JEEZ!
STOP
ACTING
ALL
SMOOTH!



KUROGANE!

BA-
DUMP



THE
TROUBLES
JUST KEEP
PILING UP.



Wow!
That
freshman is
eating lunch
with Anri-
sempai and
his friends!

**HOLY
COW!**
She's so
lucky!





SAY, YOU
DON'T
SEEM VERY
WORRIED,
BUT DIDN'T
YOU JUST
TRANSFER
HERE?

ARE YOU
SURE YOU
WANT TO EAT
WITH US?
WHAT ABOUT
YOUR
FRIENDS?

W-



BUT,
TAIGA-
CHAN...

IN FACT,
I LIKE MY
MEALS
QUIET.

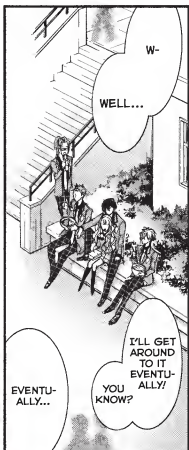


KA-
BAM

WHOAH!!
YOU
SAW
THAT
?!

DIDN'T YEW
SECRETLY
PRACTICE
ASKING YER
CLASSMATES
TO EAT LUNCH
WITH YEW
YESTERDAY?

AH!
WHAT?!
THEN YOU
HAVE NO
FRIENDS?



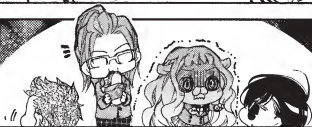
W-
WELL...

EVENTU-
ALLY...

I'LL GET
AROUND
TO IT
EVENTU-
ALLY!
YOU
KNOW?

NO...

いよいよ



CLATTER

АНА
НА НА
АНА
НА!

MUNCH
MUNCH
MUNCH

もぐもぐもぐもぐ
MUNCH
MUNCH

PFFT!

BINGO
?!

Pffffft!
That's
hilarious!

YOU
SHOULDN'T
LAUGH
ABOUT
THAT,
MIKIHITO!!





W H O A !!



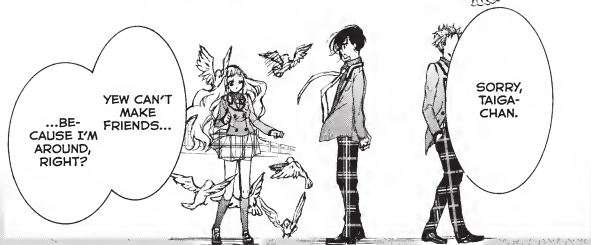
SIGH,
THAT GIRL
REALLY IS
A PIECE
OF CAKE.

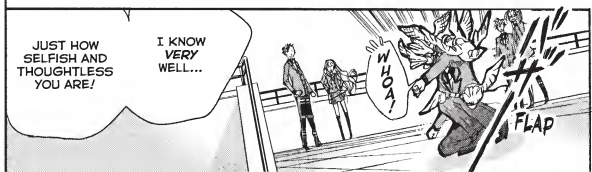
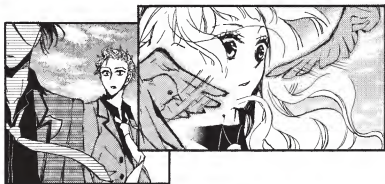
**WOW!
OH WOW!
LOOK!
LOOK!!**

These
doves are
so cute!

Ah...
My
sand-
wich...

FLAP







I DIDN'T
HAVE MANY
FRIENDS IN
THE FIRST
PLACE.

I-

IT'S ALL
UP TO
ME.

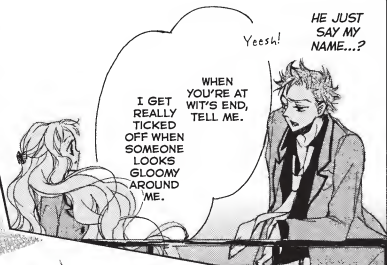
AND I'LL
GET YOU
UNDER
CONTROL
IN NO TIME
FLAT, TOO!

SO I IN-
TIMIDATED
EVERYONE
AND GOT
INTO
FIGHTS
AND STUFF
ALL THE
TIME IN
MIDDLE
SCHOOL.

I TEND
TO SAY
TOO
MUCH

...





HE JUST
SAY MY
NAME...?

Yeesh!

WHEN
YOU'RE AT
WIT'S END,
TELL ME.

I GET
REALLY
TICKED
OFF WHEN
SOMEONE
LOOKS
GLOOMY
AROUND
ME.



HUH?

D-DON'T
TELL ME...

HE DID ALL
THIS...



JUST TO...

...CHEER ME UP...?



H-HUH?
HUH?!



AWKWARD...

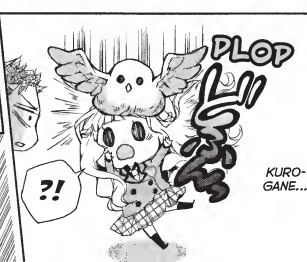
HE'S
SCARY...

WHAT'RE
YOU
SMILING
AT?!

...AND
WARM.



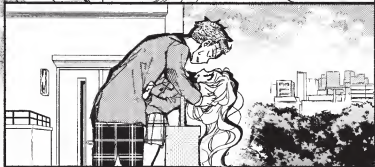
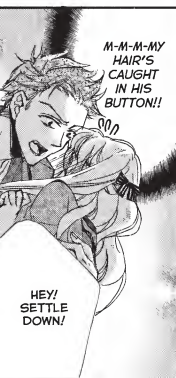
YOU IDIOT!
LOOK OUT!



?!

PLOP

KURO-
GANE...



TAIGA.

WHOA!

THUMP

THUMP

...SHUT UP.



...SHUT UP.

[illegible]

...AH!

MY
HAIR'S...
UM...
CAUGHT

...AH

THUMB

THUMP

THUMP

CONK



TSK!

IT'S
TANGLED...



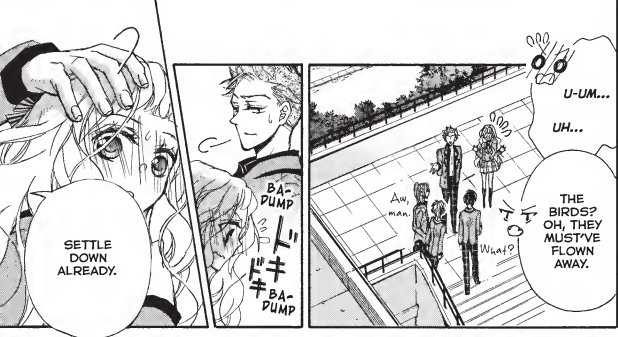
WAIT, WHAT
HAPPENED
TO YER
CLOTHES,
KURO-
GANE?

WHERE'D
THE
DOVES
GO?

I
bought
some
bread!

TAIGA-
CHAAAN!







DID
SOMETHING
HAPPEN?

EVEN I'M
SURPRISED
BY HOW I'M
FEELING.



H-HEY!
WHAT DO
YOU THINK
YOU'RE
DOING...

ANRI?!

I CAN
SMELL
KUROGANE
ON YEW.





USE THOSE
FANGS AND
CLAWS HE
DOESN'T
EVEN TRY
TO HIDE...

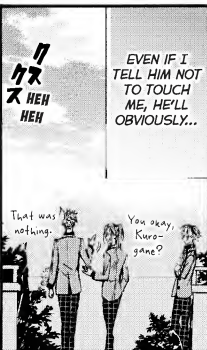


I MUSTN'T LET
THIS BLACK
BEAST LEARN
ABOUT THESE
FEELINGS.

TAIGA-CHAN,
YEW LIKE
KUROGANE,
DON'T YEW?

...TO TOY
WITH ME.

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EVEN IF I
TELL HIM NOT
TO TOUCH
ME, HE'LL
OBVIOUSLY...

That was
nothing.

You okay,
Kuro-
gane?



KUROGANE'S
A REAL PERV
WHO LOVES
BACKS

BUT THAT LIFE
IS FULL OF
SWEET TRAPS...

...life of
shared
secrets...

An even more
dangerous...

TAIGA DECIDED
TO SECRETLY
TAKE ANRI INTO
HER HOME.

YER
TELLIN' ME
TO HELP
YEW WITH
YER LOVE
LIFE?

!

BUT I GUESS
WE DON'T
WANNA THINK
ABOUT THAT,
HUH?

KUROGANE
MIGHT NOT
HAVE A LICK OF
INTEREST...



AND THE
FIRST LOVE
SHE FINALLY
FOUND...

Begins!!

...BECOMES A
PLAYTHING OF
THIS BLACK
BEAST?

I WISH YEW COULDA
SEEN YER FACE WHEN
KUROGANE CALLED IT
"STUPID!" I DIDN'T
KNOW YEW COULD
LOOK SO PATHETIC.

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